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SUBJECT

AREA: Ground Forces

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TITLE/SIGNIFICANCE:

Deployment of the 152-MM Self-propelled Gun M1973

COMMENT: Recently, the 152-MM SP Gun M1973 was observed in circumstances that suggest it will replace its towed counterpart in the artillery regiment of a motorized rifle division. Eighteen of the 152-MM SP Guns were in a Bivouac area along with a battalion of towed 122-MM Howitzer D-30's, and a battalion of towed 122-MM Howitzer M-30's. Normally the third battalion of a motorized rifle division artillery regiment consists of 18 towed 152-MM Gun Howitzers D-20. Any similar sightings should be brought to the attention of the ground forces coordinator.

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LOCATION(S)

Gorokhovets Artillery Training  
Center - Gorokhovets, USSR

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